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In response to the Notice of Allowability mailed July 28, 2006, Applicants submit herewith the Issue Fee Transmittal Form. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge (\$1,418.00) to cover the Issue Fee Due and an advance order of 6 copies of the patent to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 4303-4003US1.

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